

On January 28, 2019, the Court ordered Plaintiff to file a memorandum “indicating whether she intends to file a motion to dismiss the federal claims or to go forward with her employment discrimination suit in federal court.” (ECF No. 13) In response, Plaintiff stated that she is requesting to withdraw/dismiss her federal claims without prejudice and seeks to remand

the case to state court. (ECF No. 14) The Court construes this response as a motion to dismiss her federal claims under Title VII without prejudice and a motion to remand her claims under the MHRA to the state court for all further proceedings.

Upon review of the pleadings in this matter and in consideration of Plaintiff's *pro se* status, the Court will dismiss Plaintiff's federal claims under Title VII without prejudice. Thus, the only remaining claims are Plaintiff's state law claims under the MHRA. The Court notes that it has supplemental jurisdiction over Plaintiff's MHRA claims under 28 U.S.C. § 1367(a) because they form part of the same case or controversy as the Title VII claim. (Notice of Removal ¶ 8, ECF No. 1) Under 28 U.S.C. § 1367(c)(3), a district court may decline to exercise supplemental jurisdiction when the court has dismissed all claims over which it has original jurisdiction. As such, the Court will decline to exercise supplemental jurisdiction and will remand the case to the state court. *See Hoechstebach v. Accu-Pay APS, LLC*, No. 4:15 CV 457 RWS, 2015 WL 3609088, at *2 (E.D. Mo. Apr. 15, 2015).

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's federal claims under Title VII are **DISMISSED** without prejudice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff's *pro se* Motions to Remand (ECF Nos. 9, 11, 14) are **GRANTED** and this case is remanded to the Twenty-First Judicial Circuit Court, St. Louis County, Missouri.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendant's Motion to Dismiss (ECF No. 7) is **DENIED** as **MOOT**.

IT IS FINALLY ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall mail a copy of this Memorandum and Order and the Order of Remand to Plaintiff's last known address: P.O. Box 5981, St. Louis, MO 63134.

Dated this 11th day of February, 2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Ronnie L. White". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath it.

RONNIE L. WHITE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE